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**PATENT
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In Re Patent Application of:	:		
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Title:	:		OPTIMIZING SWITCHING ELEMENT FOR MINIMAL LATENCY

AMENDMENT

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed September 28, 2006 (Mail Date 20060922) and is being filed within the first month of extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.13(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). A Petition for Extension of Time to and including January 29, 2006 is filed herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listings of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.